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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Mark M. RICHTER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1637
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Application No.: 09/074,472) Examiner: Jeffrey N. Fredman
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Filed: May 7, 1998) Confirmation No.: 2284
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For: ASSAYS EMPLOYING)
ELECTROCHEMILUMINESCENT)
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QUENCHERS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY

Applicants reply to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2006 ("Office Action").

Applicants request that the Office consider the following remarks.

Attachments to this reply include a printout of absorption spectra for rhodamine dyes, benzene, phenol, and benzoquinone obtained from
<http://omlc.ogi.edu/spectra/PhotochemCAD/html/index.html>.